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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RECORDING MANUFACTURER INFORMATION

ON A RECORDING MEDIUM AND FOR DETERMINING WHETHER THE

MANUFACTURER INFORMATION IS EFFECTIVE

## TERMINAL DISCLAIMER TO OBVIATE A DOUBLE PATENTING REJECTION (37 C.F.R. 1.321(B))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

### INTEREST AND TITLE OF PERSON MAKING THIS TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

I, Alicia M. Choi, represent that I am the attorney of record for this application and I am authorized to sign on behalf of the Assignee.

#### **IDENTITY OF ASSIGNEE**

The Assignee is Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Republic of Korea, having an office and principal place of business at Suwon-city, Korea.

Pursuant to Rule 3.73(b), the Assignee is the current owner of the subject application pursuant to the Assignment identified below.

#### **RECORD OF ASSIGNMENT IN PTO**

The assignment of the above-referenced application was recorded on November 30, 1999 at Reel 010229 Frame 0341.

# COMMON OWNERSHIP OF PATENT APPLICATION SERIAL NOS. 09/337,253 AND 09/610,696

Pursuant to Rule 3.73(b), the Assignee is the current owner of the subject application pursuant to the Assignment identified below. Assignee further confirms that it remains the owner of Patent Application Serial Nos. 09/337,253 and 09/610,696, consistent with the indication of the Assignee on the face thereof.

### **CERTIFICATION OF TITLE**

The evidentiary documents have been reviewed and the undersigned certifies that, to the best of said Assignee's knowledge and belief, title of the above-identified application and Patent Application Serial Nos. 09/337,253 and 09/610,696 is in the said Assignee.

#### **TERMINAL DISCLAIMER**

Assignee hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application which would extend beyond the expiration date of Patent Application Serial No. 09/610,380 and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to Patent Application Serial Nos. 09/337,253 and 09/610,696, the agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

Assignee does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term as defined in 35 USC 154 to 156 and 173 of the Patent Application Serial Nos. 09/337,253 and 09/610,696 as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, in the event that it later expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. §1.321(a), has all claims canceled by a re-examination certificate, is reissued, or is otherwise terminated prior to the expiration of its statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, except for the separation of legal title stated above.

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#### **FEE**

The requisite disclaimer fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.20(d) of \$110.00 is attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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